

Great excitement was occasioned yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock, by the shooting of a noted desperado named William Moss, by police Officers Reed and Riley, in Kendall's bakery, corner Sixth and Pine streets, while endeavoring to effect his arrest. Moss is a young man of about twenty five years of age, and a native of Tennessee. Two years ago he joined some irregular command of the Confederate army and was taken prisoner, found guilty of being a bushwhacker and sentenced to Alton Prison. Six or eight months ago he made his escape from that institution and went to the town of Fidelity, Illinois. Here he was identified and a body of citizens turned out to arrest him, when he fired upon them and killed three of the number, and escaped.

He was soon afterward captured, however, and was committed to the Jerseyville jail on the charge of murder. Here a number of attempts were made to lynch him, but without success, the Sheriff and others using their influence to protect him from mob violence. Two months ago he made his escape from jail, and went to Quincy, Illinois, where he has since remained, until last Thursday, when he started for St. Louis. He arrived here on Saturday and took a room at Guenadon's saloon, on Washington avenue, using little precaution against being recognized. About 1 o'clock yesterday he was seen near the corner of Fourth and Olive streets, by two citizens of Jerseyville, who at once set up the cry of murderer, and a moment afterward a crowd of two or three hundred persons were pursuing the fugitive up Olive street. At the corner of Sixth street he turned and ran toward Kendall's bakery, where he encountered the two policemen who drew their revolvers and ordered him halt. Springing inside the doorway at the northwest entrance, he drew his revolver, and turning suddenly on his pursuers, kept them for a moment at bay. Finding that his pistol would not go off he ran inside the bakery, and, just as he was escaping through the entrance, he was shot, and fatally wounded.—*St. Louis Rep.*

At the fete given by Mr. Bigelow, the American Minister, on the 4th of July, at Paris, with the exception of Drouyn de l'Huys, Chasselange, Lanbak, and Lavallette, who married American ladies, none but Americans were admitted. Mr. Bigelow delivered a speech, in which he stated the conciliation ideas of the American Government. They dined in a tent decorated with French and American flags.

#### Washington Advertisements.

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**M. W. GALT & BROTHER,**  
DEALERS IN  
**FINE WATCHES,**  
**RICH JEWELRY,**  
**PURE SILVER WARE.**  
PRESENTATION SWORDS, SASHES, BELTS,  
and every description of superior  
**MILITARY GOODS,**  
NO. 354, PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE.  
(Near Metropolitan Hotel.)  
jy 15—St WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Corner of 9th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue.  
(PERRY BUILDING.)

**CITY OF WASHINGTON, D. C.**  
Now, as prior to the war, our stock of first class foreign and domestic DRY GOODS, in all the departments of general and special family wants, is much the largest and most comprehensive in this market. Our Northern and Eastern correspondents send us new supplies daily.  
One price only, marked in plain figures.  
Hence no purchaser is deceived.  
The application of the above sound principles to a large and attractive stock, in days past secured us a large family trade, extending from Maryland to Texas. To all of our former customers we cordially invite an inspection of our stock, or ask them to favor us with their orders.  
**PERRY & BRO.,**  
Cor. Penn., Avenue and 9th Street,  
jy 13—dlm Perry Building.

**J. W. SEARS, A. SEARS.**  
**SEARS & BRO.,**  
DEALERS IN  
**FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS.**  
No 24, cor. 8th and Pennsylvania Avenue.  
jy 13—dlm WASHINGTON, D. C.

**ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!**  
**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.**  
We are now landing from Schooner Helen Mar, a cargo of BOSTON ICE. This ice is cut from lakes, fed entirely by pure spring water, and is of very superior quality. It is but a sample of the ice with which we propose to furnish our customers during the entire season.  
At considerable expense we have obtained an entire new set of wagons, and so perfected our arrangements for the delivery of ice, that all persons leaving their orders with us, may depend upon receiving their supply promptly and regularly.  
Hotels, Restaurants and Steamboats supplied upon the shortest notice, and on reasonable terms, with quantities large or small.  
**M. ELDRIDGE & CO.,**  
ap 20—tf Prince Street Wharf.

#### Steamboats.

**POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.**  
The steamer C. VANDERBILT, Capt. A. L. Colmary; steamer EXPRESS, Capt. E. A. Ryther.  
The steamers C. Vanderbilt and Express will leave Baltimore every Tuesday and Friday, at 5 o'clock P. M., for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown, stopping at all the usual landings on the Potomac River. Returning, will leave Washington every Saturday and Wednesday, at 6 o'clock, a. m., and leave Alexandria at 7 o'clock, a. m.—Stopping at the usual Landings on the River.  
For information, freight or passage, apply to A. Needham & Sons, 142, Light St. Wharf, Baltimore; J. Broders & Co., No. 3, King St., Alexandria; Morgan, Rhinehart & Co., No. 104 Water St. and 241 F Street, Washington and Georgetown. my 30—tf

**FOR BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.** The Steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Harper, will resume her old route on Saturday, 20th inst., leaving Commerce street wharf at 4 o'clock p. m. Returning she will leave Washington on Wednesday Morning, at 6 and Alexandria at 7.  
Freight and passage at moderate rates. Apply to **BENONI WHEAT, Agent.** my 19—tf Cor. Fayette Alley and the River.

**MOUNT VERNON.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY'S new excursion steamer WASET is now running regular trips to Mount Vernon, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, leaving their wharf at Washington, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and Alexandria at 10.  
This fine boat can be chartered for excursions on all intermediate days, and on any evening. je 7—30t J. VAN RISWICK.

#### Ice Cream and Soda Water.

**BREngle's**  
**Ice Cream Saloon,**  
No. 129 King Street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
ICE CREAM, made in the best manner, will be furnished, WHOLESALE, to Dealers, on the most reasonable terms; or by retail, at the saloon, which is fitted up for the accommodation of ladies and gentlemen.  
**SODA FOUNTAINS** charged and SYRUPS, of all varieties for sale.  
A Soda Fountain is in operation at the Confectionary Store.  
All the materials used in the manufacture of Ice Cream, and Soda, are of the best quality.  
**CAKES, CANDIES, FRUITS, AND CONFECTIONERY,** of all kinds, for sale.  
Families can be supplied with ICE at the store, 129, King street, through the week, and on Sunday at Mr. Beach's Ice House, on St. Asaph street, near the County Jail. mh 28—tf

**SODA WATER.**  
The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he is now prepared to supply them with  
**SODA WATER,**  
prepared in the best manner and flavored with  
**CHOICE FRUIT SYRUPS,**  
at his store, No. 224, King street.  
He is also prepared to furnish retailers with Soda Water and Syrups, or the materials for preparing the same, at the lowest rates, at his store, No. 39, King street. H. COOK. ap 29—tf

**PHILADELPHIA HOUSE,**  
NOS. 5 and 7, SOUTH ROYAL STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA,  
(Formerly Cottage Headquarters.)  
The undersigned would respectfully announce to his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the above named house, which, for location and convenience, is not excelled by any hotel in the city. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of the generous and liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him.  
Daily and weekly BOARDERS taken on the most reasonable terms.  
**MEALS** at all hours. The best PHILADELPHIA ALE and LAGER BEER always kept on hand.  
My TABLE will always be supplied with the best of the market affords.  
A LADIES ORDINARY is attached to this house, with courteous and attentive waiters always in attendance.  
mh 31—tf **GEORGE W. FORTNER.**

**AUCTION & COMMISSION STORE.**  
S. W. Corner King and Water Sts.  
Over Mr. J. E. Douglas's Grocery Store.  
Entrance from King Street.  
I have fitted up the above named Room expressly for the AUCTION BUSINESS, and am now prepared to receive Goods and Furniture of every description for sale in store.  
I will also attend to the selling of REAL ESTATE, STOCKS, or any other description of property at any place in the city or county of Alexandria, if desired.  
The very best reference will be given if required.  
In conclusion, I respectfully solicit a call from all who have any business in my line.  
P. S.—Sales regular, once a week, on Thursday morning, at my store.  
je 2—im **JOHN H. PARROTT.**

**FAMILY FLOUR.**  
Received and for sale, a lot of Paptapso FAMILY FLOUR; also various brands of Extra, Super and Fine, all warranted to give satisfaction.  
F. G. SWAIN,  
je 28—tf 26, Royal Street.

**FLOUR, BACON, LARD.**—10 bbls. prime HAM, 10 half bbls. LARD, Patapso FAMILY FLOUR. For sale by B. WHEAT. [je 6—tf]

#### Clothing, &c.

**HIGHLY IMPORTANT.**  
**A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of GOODS FOR SALE CHEAP, FOR CASH.**  
**HOFHEIMER & METZGER,**  
No. 92, King St., two doors from Royal.

Have for sale at their store a large stock of  
**SUMMER CLOTHING.**  
**DRY GOODS** of all kinds.

**SHIRTS, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES**  
And a variety of other articles, including FANCY GOODS of all kinds. Besides all the Staples of Flannels, Linens, Cottons, Hosiery, &c. We invite our customers and the public to call and examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere as we are selling out our entire stock at the lowest rates, in order to change our business. We have just received a new and SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of GOODS—and there is no humbug in our offer to sell on the most favorable terms, as all will find by buying from us.  
Country Customers are particular invited to call and get bargains je 29—1m

**ARNOLD & FIELD,**  
**Merchant Tailors,**

**MILITARY AND GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING STORE.**  
Would invite inspection of their large stock of CLOTHS, CASIMERES, and VESTINGS, all grades, Foreign and Domestic, which they will make to order as cheap as can be had (quality considered) in the city of New York and warrant to give entire satisfaction.  
Special attention given to the selection of CLOTHS for MILITARY GARMENTS.—We sell none but Indigo Blues, warranted, and our long experience in that branch justifies us in assuring satisfaction in that line. We keep a select assortment of Shirts (all kind) Collars, (linen and paper) Neckties, Scarfs, Socks, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, &c., usually found in a well regulated Merchant Tailoring Establishment. Call and see us. Don't forget the number, 83 King Street, between Pitt and Royal, one door east of Parker's Theatre.  
**WM. ARNOLD,**  
**JOHN A. FIELD.**  
jan 7—tf

**NOTICE.**  
Having purchased the TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT of Mr. Daniel Shay, under the Mansion House, Fairfax street, I propose to maintain the former reputation of the House, pledging myself to keep always on hand, as good an assortment, upon as reasonable terms as any other first class establishment, in this, or the neighboring cities.  
MR. S. E. RIDGLEY will continue as CUTTER, and warrants satisfaction. I respectfully solicit a continuation of the liberal patronage extended to the former proprietors, W. & A. Murray.  
**J. B. LOCKART,**  
No. 19, North Fairfax street,  
Under Mansion House.  
ap 6—tf

**Lumber, Wood, Coal, &c.**  
**LUMBER! LUMBER!!**  
**SLOAN & BRUNER**  
Have for sale  
**ALL KINDS OF LUMBER,**  
At the lowest market rates.  
Hunter's Wharf, near the Tunnel.  
**R. J. SLOAN.** **B. F. BRUNER.**  
jy 5—6m

**JAS. RECTOR SMOOT, JOHN PERRY.**  
**SMOOT & PERRY,**  
DEALERS IN  
**LUMBER, NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, AND CALCINED PLASTER.**  
No. 40 South Union Street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
jy 15—tf

**200,000 LUMBER. 200,000**  
Just received two hundred thousand feet 4-4 6-4 and 8-4 White Pine, Hemlock, and Spruce LUMBER; also Joist and Scantling which we offer for sale at the market rates.  
jy 14—6m **SMOOT & PERRY.**

**NOTICE.**—We are now receiving our stock of LUMBER, which we offer for sale at the market rates. Also, NAILS, LIME and CEMENT.  
**SMOOT & PERRY,**  
je 26—eclm

**FUEL—**  
**REDUCTION IN PRICE.**  
Pine wood, \$6.50 per cord.  
Oak 8.00  
Coal, Lorberr Red-Ash, \$11.00 per ton, delivered.  
Coal, White Ash, \$10.00, do.  
Yards Prince street, between Pitt and Royal; and Wolfe street wharf, Pier 18.  
je 5—tf **E. A. DAYTON.**

**ULAM W. BARKER,**  
No. 5, Ferry Slip, Blacklock's Wharf,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Keeps on hand, constantly, a supply of OAK and PINE WOOD, which he will sell at the lowest market rates. je 23—1m

**COAL! COAL!**  
To arrive per schooner Loon, from Philadelphia, a cargo of RED ASH COAL, which will be sold as low, as possible, for cash, from the vessel.  
**JOHN LEATHERLAND,**  
jy 17—1w\* 26 King Street.

**WOOL** purchased by **B. WHEAT,**  
je 8—tf No. 4, corner Fayette Alley and the River.

#### Medical.

**PROF. LOUIS WUNDRAM'S**  
**BLOOD PURIFYING AND PURGATIVE HERBS**  
(In Pills and Powders.)

**THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING agents** as yet known, have been most successfully used for over a quarter of a century in Europe, and for the last 4 years, also, in this country, and are particularly efficient in the cure of all chronic diseases. No one should despair of being cured without first trying them. No family should be without them, for by their timely use much sickness can be prevented. They are imported direct to this port by the undersigned, and their purity, efficacy and safety can be relied upon with perfect confidence.  
The following are some of the diseases which have been permanently removed by their use:

Tetter,  
Inflammation of the bowels, consumption in its early stages, headache, asthma, cough, sore eyes, lockjaw, ruptures, rheumatism, cramp cholic, catarrh, pain in the breast and sides, deafness, nervousness, spotted fever, chills and fever, ague, open wounds, pneumonia, dyspepsia, salt rheum, cancer, scrofula, jaundice, tapeworm, biliousness, eruptions of the skin, bowel complaint, langour, gout, dropsy, erysipelas, worms, cholic, piles, diarrhoea, hoarseness, swellings, bloatings, bloody and white flux, dysentery, costiveness, measles, &c.

Full directions accompany each remedy Imported and for sale by  
**JULIUS DIENELT, Dentist,**  
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For sale by most Druggists. jan 3—tf

**IMPROVE YOUR EYESIGHT!**  
**DOCTOR WHITE'S EYE-WATER**  
Takes at once the first rank among all ophthalmics yet known, and has proved to be the greatest blessing to thousands of sufferers in Europe for over 20 years. It cannot be too highly recommended to all men of business, especially to bank and other officers, bookkeepers, clerks, artisans, and all such as are obliged to work much by artificial light, or fire; artists, and to Ladies much engaged in reading, or fine needlework. It will not only strengthen and improve weak eyes but speedily cure all inflammation, cold, or lameness of the eyelids, but also, remove the beginning cataract, and its use will positively insure against blindness.  
Price 75 cents a bottle.  
Imported and for sale by  
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No. 145 Prince street,  
For sale by most Druggists.

Jan. 3—tf

**FRESH DRUGS, &c.**  
Opium, Quinine, Camphor, Spirits Turpentine, Cream Tartar, Citric Acid, Tartaric Acid, Super Carb Soda, Oatmeal, Hops in papers, Chloroform, Nitrate Silver, Epsom Salts, Gum Arabic, Ipecacuanha, Rhubarb, Podophyllin, Liptandio, Croton Oil, Blister Plasters, Fluid Extracts, all kinds, Solid Extracts, Flor. Sulphur, Mercurial Ointment, Chip and Paper Pill Boxes, Cod Liver Oil, Calcined Magnesia, Calabria Liquorice, Mercury, Calomel, Tartar Emetic, Acetic Acid, Sage, and Herbs of all kinds, received, and for sale by  
**HENRY COOK,**  
je 5—tf 39, King Street.

**TO PREVENT SICKNESS, PURIFY THE BLOOD.** Nothing is more wholesome at this time of year than a gentle purgative; it will purify the blood and digestive organs, and enable the system the better to endure the warm season to come. For this purpose we would advise every one who values sound health, to try a box of  
**PROF. WUNDRAM'S**  
**VEGETABLE PILLS OR POWDERS,**  
which have proved so salutary the past four seasons to all who tried them.  
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AGENTS FOR THE  
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**PATENT VENTILATING STOVES.**  
Comprising  
Parlor, Cook, Hall and Dining Room Stoves,  
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Also Manufacturers and Dealers in all sorts of  
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Guttering, Spouting, Roofing, &c.,  
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**EDWARD H. CLARKSON,**  
DEALER IN  
Plain, Fancy and Japanned TIN WARE.  
Hot Air Furnaces, Latrines, and Fountains  
Stoves, repaired and put up.  
Roofing and Guttering promptly attended to.  
ALL WORK WARRANTED [je 12—3m]

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The subscriber will continue the same business heretofore carried on at No. 63, King st., where he offers a good assortment of goods in his line, and solicits a continuance of the custom of the public, and the friends of the old firm. [my 25—eod3m] **E. J. MILLER.**